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TRANSISTOR USEFUL ALONE OR IN SOI BICMOS

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Response to a Second Requirement for Restriction Under 35 U.S.C. 121

Sir:

In response to a second requirement for restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121 mailed July 25, 2002 to elect a single disclosed species in Group I for prosecution on the merits, applicant's attorney elects Embodiment 1 of Fig. 18 with claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 8, 10 and 11 readable ther on.

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Embodiment 2 of Fig. 27 with claims 3, 4, 7, 9 and 12 are withdrawn from further prosecution under the present specie election.

The claims in Group II, claims 13-22, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device, remain withdrawn from further prosecution.

Further favorable action and allowance of the elected claims is earnestly requested.

> Respectfully submitted, Attorney for the Applicant(s)

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